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## NOVEMBER 7.

MR. CHARLES MORRIS in the Chair.

Twenty persons present.

The reception of the following papers was reported:

"A Monograph of the Procyonidæ," by R. W. Shufeldt, M.D. (October 17).

"The Formation of Ripple-marks, Tracks, and Trails," by Amos P. Brown (October 25).

The death of Ernest André, a correspondent, June 14, was announced.

In announcing the death on October 31 of the REV. HENRY C. MCCOOK, D.D., the Recording Secretary stated that he had been elected a member August 31, 1875, and had served as Vice-President from May, 1882, to December, 1900.

He was earnest and efficient as the Chairman of the Committee on Lectures and Instruction from 1880 to 1887. During the period of his active association he was always energetic in the enforcement of what he regarded as best for the welfare of the Academy.

His work on the natural history of ants and spiders will give him a permanent place in the history of Science in America.

A more extended notice of Dr. McCook's scientific work will be published by the Entomological Section of the Academy.

JOHN W. HARSHBERGER, PH.D., made a communication on the vegetation of extreme southern Florida. (No abstract.)

CAPTAIN HUGH L. WILLOUGHBY, in continuation, spoke of the physiography and primitive vegetation of Lake Ochichobee and the Everglades.

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NOVEMBER 21.

The President, SAMUEL G. DIXON, M.D., LL.D., in the Chair.

Thirty-two persons present.

The reception of a paper entitled "Notes on Salmonoid and related Fishes," by Henry W. Fowler, was reported.

The death of Malcolm Lloyd, a member, September 27, was announced.

MR. CHARLES MORRIS made a communication on the extinction of the giant reptiles. (No abstract.)

The following were ordered to be printed: